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November 26, 1961

✓ *now*
[redacted]

Dear [redacted]

Your letter of October 15 came in just as I was about to leave on a European trip, but I am now in a much better position to answer it than I would otherwise have been.

I met your [redacted] and the charming [redacted] and I had a good talk with them both in the course of a rather hurried trip through [redacted]. I was very much impressed with [redacted] (I have always been impressed with your daughter) and I find that others for whom he works were highly impressed with him. We consider him a coming young officer with a fine record and with much promise for the future. As far as I could see, both seemed happy and I gather there might be before long an addition to the family.

I hope that you will forgive the delay in writing this letter which, as I say has been due to my absence from the country.

Love to [redacted]

As ever,

AWD/jl

Orig - Addressee

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Allen W. Dulles
Director

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